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Ms. Magalie Salas, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: ET Docket No. 98-153, Revision of Part 15 of the Commission's Rules
Regarding Ultra-Wideband Transmission Systems
*Ex Parte Communication***

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to the Commission's rules regarding ex parte meetings, I am following this notice on behalf of Siemens Corporation.

On Tuesday, October 16, 2001, Mark Esherick of Siemens Corporation, Louis Rajczi of Mustang Ventures (a Siemens company) and myself met conducted separate meetings with Monica Desai of Commissioner Martin's office, Paul Margie of Commissioner Copps' office, and Peter Tenhula of Chairman Powell's office. The purpose of these meetings was to discuss the Commission's rules regarding ultra-wideband transmission systems, and to outline Siemens' interests in these rules and the economic and technological opportunities that a revision of these rules would provide.

If there are any questions about this filing, please contact me at (202) 879-9367.

Respectfully submitted,

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